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SUBJECT: INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL

FOR AF/ W DIRECTOR AGGREY

REF: MY LETTER OF MAY 4, 1973

1. JUST INFORMED FONMIN ALLADAYE WILL RECEIVE ME AT 1130
TOMORROW, JUNE 16. DO YOU HAVE ANY INDICATION ON WHAT AMBASSADOR
ADJIBADE HAS DONE WITH INTERCONTINENTAL' S PROPOSAL SENT HIM ON
MARCH 19, 1973? I WOULD LIKE TO RAISE THIS WITH FONMIN IN
EFFORT GET LONG OVERDUE DIALOGUE GOING BETWEEN MRGD AND INTER-

CONTINENTAL. HOTEL AND TOURISM EXPERT BROTEN OF CORNELL CONSIDERS
PROJECT A NATURAL FOR COTONOU. BANK OF AMERICA VP CHALHOUB,
WHO WAS JUST HERE, ALSO ENTHUSIASTIC AND MAY APPROACH INTER-
CONTINENTAL IN NEW YORK WITH VIEW TOWARDS PARTIAL FINANCING BY
BANK OF AMERICA. AS FAR AS I CAN TELL, MRGD IS INTERESTED AND
CONTINUES TO RESERVE CHOICE WATERFRONT LAND WHICH PREVIOUS
GOVERN-
MENT HAD SET ASIDE FOR HOTEL.
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